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February, March, April through tax season AARP Tax Aide Assistance

The AARP Foundation Tax-Aide volunteers are offering free income tax preparation to low-to-moderate income taxpayers especially those 60 and older in West Sacramento. We will be providing our service on Saturdays starting February 8 from 12-4. Trained IRS certified volunteers help taxpayers navigate complicated tax codes, receive proper credits and deductions, and file their federal and state tax returns electronically. AARP Foundation Tax-Aide is offered in conjunction with the IRS. This service is being offered at River bend Manor, 664 Cummins Way by appointment only. Telephone for an appointment: 916-572-7802.

February 27

West Sac Fireworks informational meeting

For non-profits or churches interested in fundraising through a fireworks booth next July. Learn about selection process.6pm at City Hall. More info: 617-4500

February 28

Grand Opening Jerome Barry Park

10am at 809 Ballpark Drive. The neighborhood park surrounds the City's water tank adjacent to Ironworks Lofts and homes in the Bridge District. Parking on Drever St and the west end of Ballpark Drive.

March 1

Indoor Rummage Sale

9 am to 3pm at West Sac Moose Lodge. Donuts and coffee: 8-10 am. Bake sale, household items, toys, books and more. Donations welcome. 3240 Jefferson Blvd. more info: 374-8322.

March 1

Pork rib and Chicken Barbeque

6 to 8 pm at the Elks Lodge, 423 3rd St. Tickets \$12 in advance or \$17 at the door. 372-3057

March 4

Introduction to the Internet

Learn more about the Internet and now to navigate it. No experience necessary. Pre-registration, library card, and PIN required. Call the Turner Library to sign up. Free.

March 5

Avoiding Arguments

Please join us and Victor Support Services at the Turner Library to learn how you can avoid arguments with your child. Please call the library for time. Free.

March 5

Free Fruit Trees for West Sacramento Residents

Residents must attend a workshop to qualify for free fruit trees. Workshops will be held from 6 to 7:30 p.m. at the Community Center on West Capitol Avenue. Residents can call 617-4620 to sign up! For more detailed information about the types of trees go to www.westsactrees.org.

March 5, 12, 19, 26

Water-Wise Wednesdays Workshops

Notice from the City of West Sacramento: Free Workshop Series. Every Wednesday in March, 7:00 - 8:30 pmWoodland Community & Senior Center (2001 East Street). Soils (March 5), Plants (March 12), Rain Water Retention (March 19), Irrigation (March 26). More info: (530) 661-2067 or (530) 661-1688 ext. 12

March 8

"Partners for Progress" Youth Symposium

This event at River City High School will focus on community partnerships supporting youth. There will be science, technology, math and engineering (STEM) activities, MESA, Zumba, and a Smart Money workshop. Students 12-18 are welcome. Free... lunch is provided. More info: 509-5122.

March 8

Family Gardening Program

Please join us and the Yolo County Master Gardeners at the Turner Library for this free interactive family friendly spring gardening program. 10am

March 8

Pancake Breakfast

Annual event hosted by the Sacramento West Kiwanis Club. 7:30 to 11am at 3240 Jefferson Blvd. \$5 adults; \$2.50 children 10 and under. Proceeds go to kids summer camp.

March 12

Where were you when?

This social group for older adults will start each session with a historic event to spark discussion. 11:00 a.m. Free at the Turner Library.

March 13

All Things String

6pm at the Turner Library. Whether you knit, crochet, embroider, or enjoy other fiber arts, this social crafting circle is for you! Bring your current project or start something new FREE! More info: laura.benn@yolocounty.org.

March 16

St Patrick's Day Breakfast

10 to 11:30 am at Holy Cross Church, 1321 Anna St. Ham, eggs, biscuits, coffee and more. \$5 adults; \$3 under 10.

March 22

SAT Test Preparation Workshop

12 Noon. Come and take a practice SAT Test to prepare for the real test. Open to Teens. Pre-registration is required. Call or visit the West Sac Turner library to sign up.

March 31

Tails for Tales

School aged children are invited to come to the Library at 4pm and practice reading with a therapy dog. Free!

March 31 - April 12

In-N-Out Reading Program

A reading incentive program for children ages 4-12. After each child has read 5 books they will be presented with an Achievement Award, good for a free hamburger or cheeseburger at any In-N-Out location. Free at the Turner Library.

NEWS

Where can you get free computer training for beginners in West Sacramento?

Check with the Turner Library (375-6465) or the West Sacramento Community Center (373-5819) or Yolo County Housing (371-0582) for class information.

The River City High School Library has a fund raising page

It has been set up through the Junior Library Guild. They would just LOVE to share this with the community! Click hereto go there.

Ongoing Programs at the Turner Library

Buddy Reading for grades K-3. Practice reading with an older "buddy." Each child will be paired up with a high school student from River City High School Interact Club for a 15-30 minute reading session. No reservations required. Fridays at 4:00pm, Mondays at 4:30 pm.

Russian/English Story Time. Wednesdays at 6:30pm. Children ages 2 to 6 years, and their parents are invited to join us for stories, songs, movement, rhymes and finger plays.

Spanish/English Story Time. Saturdays at 11:30am. Children ages 2 to 6 years, and their parents are invited to join us for stories, songs, movement, rhymes and finger plays.

Toy Library. Tuesdays 12:00-2:00pm. Wednesdays 4:00-6:00pm. The Toy Library provides a variety of safe, educational and fun toys and games for children of all ages. A program of Child Care Services. Membership is \$15.00 per year.

Family Resource Center Classes and Food Distribution

Play School Experience for preschoolers (trilingual and Spanish) - enjoy quality learning time with your child. Zumba classes - held at the West Sacramento Community Center. ParEd Parent Education - free classes and workshops on a variety of topics. Food distribution for families with children - every Friday at 10:30 am at 637 Todhunter Avenue in room # 21 B. West Sacramento Family Resource Center also offers assistance and information about health insurance, WIC, school meal assistance and CalFresh. More information: 916-572-0560.

Coming in May

San Pedro Association - Annual Fair in West Sac Bryte neighborhood. Saturday May 31.

Interested parties may participate -call 421-5768

West Sacramento Historical Society - May 4, Gibson House Spring Festival.

See the flyer

JOB OPPORTUNITIES

Material Handler - part time - West Sacramento

McKesson Pharmaceutical is seeking someone for performing physical tasks in shipping, receiving, storing and distributing products, materials, parts, supplies and equipment. 2+ years of distribution experience. Basic reading, writing, math skills. HS diploma or equivalent. More info: Steve Roberts, (916) 375-6215.

Multiple Employment Opportunities

Contact: Steve Roberts, Employment Services Specialist, Yolo County Department of Employment and Social Services, 500 Jefferson Boulevard, West Sacramento, CA 95605, (916) 375-6215, steve.roberts@volocounty.org

Spring is nature's way of saying, "Let's party!"
- Robin Williams

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